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The Honorable Katherine B. Forrest
United States District Judge
Southern District of New York
United States Courthouse
500 Pearl Street
New York, New York 10007

Re: United States v. Ross Ulbricht
14 Cr. 68 (KBF)

Dear Judge Forrest:

This letter is submitted on behalf of defendant Ross Ulbricht, and respectfully requests that the Court permit the motions *in limine*, the deadline for which the Court graciously extended until Monday, December 8, 2014, to be filed Tuesday, December 9, 2014, while leaving the time for any replies – due December 12, 2014 – unchanged. I have spoken with Assistant United States Attorney Serrin Turner, who has informed me that the government consents to that modification, including the shortened period in which to respond. I have also informed Assistant United States Attorney Timothy T. Howard that we will serve Mr. Ulbricht's motions *in limine* on the government by 6 p.m. Tuesday, December 9, 2014, in order to afford the government sufficient time to prepare its response.

The additional day will conform the due dates for the *in limine* motions with Mr. Ulbricht's objections to the proposed Government Exhibits, which are closely related and, in some instances, inextricably so. That additional day will thereby enable counsel to address the objections and motions *in limine* in an efficient, comprehensive, and joint fashion, as well as to consult sufficiently with Mr. Ulbricht (to whom we provided the Exhibits today).

Accordingly, it is respectfully requested that the Court grant an additional one day extension until Tuesday, December 9, 2014, for the filing of the motions *in limine*. As noted, the government consents to the one-day extension, with the due date for responses remaining

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Respectfully submitted,

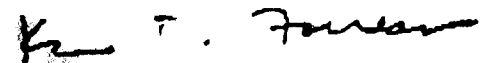


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SO ORDERED:



**HON. KATHERINE B. FORREST
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE**